2. Tender may be given either for a single koti or for both the koties and should be registered, insured and superscribed as "*Tender for the carting of Sandalwood from the koti to the Sandal Oil Factory.*" Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) in currency notes. The rate to be quoted should be per ton of wood and for each koti separately.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest tender without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Within the 15 days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 200 including the initial deposit in clause 2 above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, and execute an agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions.

Conditions:

(*a*) That he will be ever ready during the period of contract to provide the required number of carts for the despatch of sandalwood whenever called upon.

(*b*) That in case of failure on his part to furnish the required number of carts at the required time, the officer in charge of the Koti may make his own arrangements for despatch of the wood, making the contractor liable to pay up the extra cost if any that may have to be incurred. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, on account of such default.

(*c*) The loading and unloading business will be done so as not to give room for leakage or damage of sandalwood and that, in either case, the contractor will be liable to the Department for the loss so sustained.

(*d*) That all the loaded carts will leave the Koti at the same time and move on in one batch under the supervision of the Departmental subordinates to be deputed to guard the consignment.

(*e*) That the cartmen do not smoke either in the Koti or while the sandalwood is under transit and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the Department for damages.

(*f*) That his coolies and cartmen will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer duringworking hours.

(*g*) That, for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions the contractor will be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy forfeiting the security deposit to Government.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DIVISION.

Notification dated 19th May 1924.

The public are hereby informed that the sale of the Minor Forest Produce of this Division for 1924-26 notified on pages 245 and 246, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 17th April 1924, to come off on the 26th instant is cancelled as per Conservator's orders.

The same will be re-notified in due course.

B. NARASIMHAIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.